



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of:

Chris Felcman et al.

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For: KEYBOARD HAVING A TRACK  
BALL MECHANISM AND A  
SCROLL MECHANISM

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| October 3, 2001   |                     |
| Date  | Michael G. Fletcher |

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In Response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application mailed on August 3, 2001, please find enclosed the following papers: (1) Two Declarations; (2) Two Assignments and a PTO-1595; (3) Part 2 of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application; (4) an Information Disclosure Statement and PTO-1449; and (5) a PTO-2038.


A PTO-2038 is enclosed to cover the following fees.

\$ 740.00 - filing fee  
450.00 - 25 dependent claims over 20  
130.00 - surcharge for Notice to File Missing Parts  
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**\$ 1,360.00**

The Commissioner is authorized to charge the requisite fee of \$1,360.00, and any additional fees which may be required, to the credit card listed on the attached PTO-2038. However, if the PTO-2038 is missing, if the amount listed thereon is insufficient, or if the amount is unable to be charged to the credit card for any other reason, the Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 06-1315; Order No. COMP:0250/FLE for the amount owed.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: October 3, 2001

  
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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).*
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$450.
  - \$450 for 25 total claims over 20.
- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 1290.**

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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PART 2 - COPY TO BE RETURNED WITH RESPONSE

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